



ESTELLA C. BAUER, AFFIRMATIVE SPEAKERS. BOTTOM, LEFT TO RIGHT-J. D. McLERAN, MISS LESLIE B. FLENNER AND E. R. FRIEND, NEGATIVE SPEAKERS.

FRESHMEN TO DEBATE WOMEN'S LABOR LAW

Will Be Held Tuesday Evening.

lege of Law will be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the College Hall, 1317 New York avenue northwest. In accordance with the established principle of the institution the class of 1917 has chosen a subject for the principal discussion of the year, which is of immediate local interest. The proposition over which the war of words will be waged is as follows: "Resolved, that the law prohibiting women from working more than eight hours a day in the District of Columbia should be repealed." Those who will uphold the affirmative are Miss S. Christine Quick, Guy F. Glossbrenner and Miss May Warner; alternate, Miss Estella C. Bauer. The negative point of view will be argued by J. D. McLeran, Miss Leslie B. Flenner, E. R. Friend; alternate, R. F. Crist.

Suitable prizes will be conferred upon the winners of the debate Tuesday night, which is to be the principal event of the society this year.

House on the Weeks-Gore ship purchase bill will hold their first meeting tomorrow, it is expected. Senator Fletcher of Florida, chairman of the conference, said last night that he hoped to get the committee together and to reach an agreement that would prove satisfactory to a majority of both the Senate and House.

That there will be considerable difficulty in framing the bill so as to receive a majority of the votes of the Senate, if it should ever come to a vote, is manifest. To change the bill so that it would provide for permanent government ownership and operation of merchant vessels, while it would win back the votes of the republican progressives favoring the measure which were lost when the bill was amentime lose some other votes for the bill in the Senate and might cause trouble in the House.

Insist Measure Is Dead.

APPROVAL OF ACTION OF COUDTS MADTIAL

Announcement is made at the Navy Department of action in the cases of officers convicted by naval ourts-martial of various infractions of the regulations. Lieut. R. F. Zogbaum was convicted of the charge of neglect of duty and sentenced to lose one number in his grade. The convening authority considered the sentence inadeuate, but approved it, "in order that the accused might not entirely escape

guilty of the charge of neglect of duty and support. sentenced to be publicly reprimanded. The convening authority disapproved the sentence as inadequate, but direct ed Lieut. Ingram's release from arrest and his restoration to duty.

Loses Fifty Members.

Ensign H. A. Ward was sentenced to dismissal for disobedience of orders, but in view of the unanimous recomnendation to clemency by the court, he sentence was mitigated to a loss

Ensign John T. Melvin was sentenced Ensign John I. Meivin was sentenced o lose ten numbers in his grade on onviction of conduct to the prejudice f good order and military discipline. Lieut L. H. Lacey was found guilty f the charge of drunkenness and senenced to lose ten numbers in his rade.

rade.
Ensign J. K. Esler, convicted of abence from duty without leave, was
entenced to lose two numbers in his
trade. The sentences in these latter ases were approved.

Prison Sentence Approved.

Ensign E. W. Robinson, who was convicted of charges of perjury and heft, was sentenced to dismissal and to five years' imprisonment. The senence in this case was approved by the president and the New Hampshire state prison at Concord was designated as the place of confinement.

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Washington College of Law Event | Senator Fletcher Hopes to Reach a Satisfactory Agreement, He Says.

The annual public debate of the The conferees of the Senate and reshman class of the Washington College of Law will be held Tuesday even- chase bill will hold their first meeting

The opponents of the bill in the Senate insist that the measure is dead and it will never be brought out of conference. If it is reported to the Senate, they say, they will very easily UF LUUKI J-WAKI AL agreement made before the bill was allowed to go to conference was that it should not be reported in any event

before next Saturday. With the side-tracking of the ship purchase bill last week, so that appropriation bills might be given the right of way, the fight for a cloture rule in the Senate, which had been waged for several days, was given up also. A cloture rule was demanded to put through the ship purchase bill. It is possible that at the next session of Congress another attempt to force a cloture rule upon the Senate will be made. But it is not believed that it will be successful, notwithstanding the fact that it will receive strong. Lieut. (J. G.) J. H. Ingram was found fact that it will receive strong

SHIP BILL CONFEREES

TUG WORK ON POTOMAC. Vessels Being Made Ready for a

Heavy Season's Service. After having been fitted with a new

propeller, to replace one that did not suit the requirements of the vessel. the tug Advance of the Taylor fleet of this city returned to service and has left Baltimore with a loaded schooner to be placed at sea and a light one for Norfolk to load. With her new wheel, it is stated the Advance is a better pulling boat.

The big tug Davis, also one of the

charter work as tender to a disconnection.

The tugs of the local sand and gravel dredging concerns, which have had but little work to do for several weeks past, are being made ready for the resumption of sand digging work in the coming week. The tugs will then be busy towing the loaded scows from the dredges to this city and taking the light scows back down river.

Sawed-Off Sermon.

Getting into heaven doesn't worry the average man as much as trying to keep out of the other place.

First Lessons in Fiction

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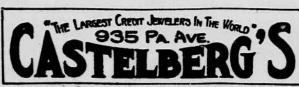
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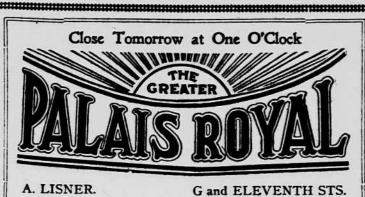
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Hats, \$5.00

One of the many is pictured here. While Paris Hats are here at \$50.00 greater wonders are these \$5.00 Hats.

At \$7.50 and \$10.00 are reproductions of the expensive imported creations.

Second Floor-6 Elevators.



Practical Lessons in the New Spring Fashions



Values to \$40.

On view and for sale the first time in Washington

Tomorrow Morning.

Three of these Suits are sketched by our local artistthere are 300 and more here to

The Women's Suits

-at \$16.50 and \$22.50.

Tomorrow's Palais Royal Exposition and Sale -in third floor parlors-practically illustrates the new spring fashions as depicted in the various fashion magazines.

From two of New York's leading makersfamous for their reproductions and adaptations of imported garments - these Suits are correct in

every detail. The collection includes over three hundred models, each different, each expressive of a new

While most of these models are for the average woman—in sizes 36 and 38—ideals are also here for the smaller and larger.

Nominal prices are to be asked - \$16.50 and Third Floor-6 elevators.



The Misses' Suits

"Sweet Sixteen," at \$16.00.

One of these ideals is pictured here. It is an adaptation of a French Suit that cost three times \$16.00 to import. It's a chic Paris style, with yoke and straight front, box back, topped off with belt and buckle in true French fashion. Front trimmed as shown in sketch, satin flowing tabs with a button finish, and with the smartest of new skirts, having the yoke effect, coupled to a pretty circular flare

Many others at \$16.00 with all the style of the imported and superior to them in tailoring.

Materials include gabardine, serge and poplins, in the new shades of Belgian blue, navy, putty, sand and checks in combination colorings.

Madam Mara of New York is here to demonstrate the new \$5.00 to \$15.00 models.

Samples \$3.69 & \$5.89

Values to \$10.00.

Various models, in sizes 20 to 26, at \$3.69, instead of \$5.00 to \$6.50. Sizes 20 to 30, at \$5.89, instead of \$10.00. Third Floor - private parlors.

Samples \$1.29 & \$2.50

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These R & G models are recommended by Madam Mara to wear in conjunction with Bin-ner Corsets, assuring ultimate

Street Floor

Rear of Elevators.

\$2.48 for \$4 to \$8 B. and J., Bon Ton, Nemo, La Victoire and other famous Corsets. \$1.29 for \$2.50 to \$3 Princess, American Lady, Redfern and R & G

89c for \$1.50 to \$2.00 Brassieres, the leading makes, in vari-ous styles and sizes. Street Floor—Rear of Elevators.

Second floor.

Check Albatross, Striped Granite Cloth and Wool

Crepes, 24 of

this season's

best colorings, viz: Newport

tan, sand, silver, Tuxedo brown,

Gettysburg gray, Oregon green, lattice green, navy, wall blue, etc.

58 inches.

Double-warp Serge, in black and white ing factor this spring for dresses. On Second Floor—Adjoining the depart-ment for the Ladies' Home

Silks to Treasure C

True Value, \$3.50

There is a history to this superb Black Dress Satin-it was made to special order and used for the making of military capes. Fashion now demands coats and suits-hence the nominal price of \$1.75 yard for this 54-inch-wide Satin. Worth buying and treasuring-if not needed at

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The quality standard at \$1.00 per yard.

Seventeen (17) newest spring shades-ideal for your new dress. Second Floor-6 elevators.



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Balls, 21c.

Utopia and Clark's New 4 strand Embroidery Floss, white only; used for all kinds of embroidery work. Regular price, 10c

The Greater Palais Royal

G Street

Don't Forget -these Blouses are on Street Floor, near G street door. And don't forget that the store closes tomorrow promptly at one o'clock. \$1.25 and \$1.39 -For \$2 Values. At \$1.25 are All-over Embroidery and Dainty Lace-trimmed Blouses. At \$1.39 are Rice Cloth Models, tailored effects, with mannish collar, cuffs and pockets, and feminine touches of embroidery in Special At Crepe de Chine and Japanese Silk Blouses. military and lingerie ef-

Second Floor-6 Elevators. The "Stamped" Gowns that are

Floss, Q

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